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OF CRAWFORD COUNTY.

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N. E. Britt,

COUNTY SURVEYOR

OF CRAWFORD COUNTY.

Surveying in all of its branches, in-

cluding leveling, promptly attended to.

GRAYLING, MICH.

Michigan Central Railroad.

SAGINAW DIVISION.

Time Table--Jan 1, 1882.

NORTHWARD.

STATIONS.	Mail.	Bay City Ex.
Chicago, leave.	9:10 a.m.	9:00 a.m.
Jackson.	7:00 a.m.	4:15 p.m.
Ree's Junction.	7:25 a.m.	4:40 p.m.
Maple.	7:45 a.m.	5:10 p.m.
Holt.	8:07 a.m.	5:32 p.m.
Lansing.	8:20 a.m.	5:45 p.m.
North Lansing.	8:40 a.m.	5:55 p.m.
Palmer.	8:55 a.m.	6:10 p.m.
Hamlet.	9:10 a.m.	6:25 p.m.
D. & M. Crossing.	9:25 a.m.	6:38 p.m.
Oakley.	9:40 a.m.	6:50 p.m.
Chesaning.	10:00 a.m.	7:10 p.m.
St. Charles.	10:15 a.m.	7:25 p.m.
Palmer.	10:40 a.m.	8:10 p.m.
Grayling City.	11:05 a.m.	8:35 p.m.
North Saginaw.	11:20 a.m.	8:50 p.m.
P. & M. Cross.	11:40 a.m.	9:10 p.m.
Zilwaukee.	11:50 a.m.	9:20 p.m.
West Bay City.	11:55 a.m.	9:25 p.m.
Bay City, arrive.	11:55 a.m.	9:20 p.m.

SOUTHWARD.

STATIONS.	Jackson Ex.	Mail.
Bay City, leave.	7:00 a.m.	6:25 p.m.
West Bay City.	7:05 a.m.	6:30 p.m.
Zilwaukee.	7:35 a.m.	6:15 p.m.
P. & M. Crossing.	7:55 a.m.	6:35 p.m.
North Saginaw.	8:10 a.m.	6:50 p.m.
Grayling City.	8:25 a.m.	7:05 p.m.
Palmer.	8:40 a.m.	7:20 p.m.
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Hamlet.	10:00 a.m.	8:35 p.m.
Lansing.	10:15 a.m.	8:50 p.m.
North Lansing.	10:30 a.m.	9:05 p.m.
Holt.	10:45 a.m.	9:20 p.m.
Maple.	11:00 a.m.	9:35 p.m.
River Junction.	11:15 a.m.	9:50 p.m.
Jackson.	11:45 a.m.	10:45 p.m.
Chicago, arrive.	7:40 p.m.	7:30 a.m.

All trains on Saginaw Division daily except Sundays. Connecting trains leave Chicago 9 a.m. daily except Sundays. Wagner Sleeping Cars on night trains.

MACKINAW DIVISION.

NORTHWARD.

Stations.	Mail.	Freight.
West Bay City, Lv.	8:20 a.m.	8:15 a.m.
Bay City.	8:30 a.m.	8:25 a.m.
Lansing.	9:23 a.m.	10:45 a.m.
Yonconing.	9:35 a.m.	11:05 a.m.
Standish.	10:35 a.m.	12:30 p.m.
Wells.	11:15 a.m.	2:30 p.m.
West Branch.	11:30 a.m.	2:45 p.m.
St. Helen's.	12:20 p.m.	4:35 p.m.
Roscommon.	1:15 p.m.	5:55 p.m.
GRAYLING.	2:00 p.m.	7:35 p.m.
Orengo Lake.	2:20 p.m.	8:15 p.m.
Gaylord.	4:35 p.m.	11:00 a.m.
Chas. Jackson.	4:45 p.m.	11:15 a.m.
Mackinaw City, Ar.	5:45 p.m.	

SOUTHWARD.

Stations.	Mail.	Freight.
Mackinaw City, Lv.	7:20 a.m.	
Chas. Jackson.	8:55 a.m.	1:00 p.m.
Gaylord.	10:50 a.m.	5:00 p.m.
Orengo Lake.	11:10 a.m.	6:00 a.m.
GRAYLING.	12:00 a.m.	7:45 a.m.
Roscommon.	1:00 p.m.	9:00 a.m.
St. Helen's.	1:30 p.m.	10:15 a.m.
West Branch.	2:07 p.m.	11:15 a.m.
Wells.	2:45 p.m.	12:30 p.m.
Standish.	3:25 p.m.	2:00 p.m.
Pineconing.	3:55 p.m.	2:50 p.m.
Kawakawin.	4:40 p.m.	4:05 p.m.
West Bay City.	5:00 p.m.	5:10 p.m.
Bay City, arrive.	5:35 p.m.	

All trains daily except Sundays.

E. C. BROWN, Asst. General Supt.,

Jackson.

FRANK J. WHITNEY, Asst. Gen'l

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If you want to be happy

If you want to live long and pros-

If you want to be respected by your

If you want to drink freely of the

Subscribe for the AVALANCHE, and

And wealth and honor will follow

"The cat is away,

Read the card of J. Maurice Finn's

If you want a "chaw of terbacker"

Twenty-two tickets were sold for the

Kerosene is cheap. If you don't be-

Greenback meeting at hall to-night.

Mr. M. S. Hartwick has his ice house

Farms for sale in all parts of the

Dr. N. H. Traver has our thanks for

The White sewing machine is in good

If you want to secure a bargain on

Insure with A. H. Swarthout in the

The workmen employed on the round

Don't say "molasses" to Mr. H. L.

From the extravagance of some peo-

W. A. Masters offers some choice

Grayling Lodge cleared \$25.40 on

The school children of Grayling were

"Mrs. James Ball, of Forest, Craw-

ford county, is in town visiting friends,

Deeds, mortgages, contracts, and all

Mr. J. B. Brownell, representative

The boiler which is to supply the

A woman in Toronto, Ont., went

This is the first announcement of the

In our item last week speaking of

"Maple sugar taken on subscrip-

That's right, Bro. Allen; take all the

Pine and farming lands bought and

Mr. J. D. Porter, foreman of the

Last week Wednesday, Mr. Wm.

For low prices in sewing machines,

This hinted by the knowing ones that

Some of the most desirable locations

Among the real estate transfers on

Rev. A. J. Richards, of Bay City,

Services at the usual hours, morning

A short visit to the vicinity of the

On Saturday afternoon last, convinced

Week ago Wednesday was the begin-

Mr. Fred. Cole, Grayling's telegraph

The Masonic festival and dance at

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Go to the literary entertainment at

A rich treat is offered, and those who

attend will feel amply repaid. All in-

invited and admission free. Let the hall

be filled to overflowing and thereby

show to those who take part that you

know and appreciate a good thing.

The assertion that one billion sheets

of paper placed on top each other

would reach 48,000 miles, discounts

Herschel's longest telescope in its mag-

nifying powers. One billion sheets of

common note paper, placed as repre-

sented, would reach about sixty-five

miles—about 750 times less than

stated.

COM.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the M.

E. church will give a social at the

residence of Mrs. A. H. Swarthout

tomorrow (Friday) afternoon. All are

cordially invited. It will cost you

only 10 cents to get in and nothing to

get out. Tea will be served. As this is

a charitable institution it deserves to be

well patronized.

"Rambler," a dead beat who visited

our city two or three weeks ago in the

interest of the Life Lake Eye, in an

article to that paper gives the "tail

editor" of the AVALANCHE "dead away"

and calls him a "dreadful blow" be-

cause he represents Grayling to be

a larger city than what it really is.

Boo-hoo! we feel so bad; somebody

please wipe away the fast-falling

teardrops from our weeping eyelids!

Prof. W. C. Hayes, a practical den-

tist of Buffalo, N. Y., invaded our

sanctum one day last week and ex-

pressed a desire to be shown over our

city, with a view of locating here. He

was accordingly placed in charge of

our Postmaster, who conducted him

to the south side, "where every prospect

pleases," and where he was not long

in selecting a location, upon which he

intends building soon.

Mr. R. S. Babbitt went out to Mantz's

camp last Monday afternoon; he

went with "Shank's horses," distance

twelve miles; he came back Tuesday

forenoon; came by the same convey-

ance, he went with. Consequences—

wet, tired, hungry, and, in fact, all

"broken up" generally. So it is re-

ported by our reporter, and if our

reporter didn't report the right

reporter would report to the sheriff,

who is himself quite a "sporter."

Mr. A. L. Zahm, one of the publish-

ers and proprietors of the Roscommon

Pioneer, made us a friendly call last

Tuesday afternoon. We recognized

Mr. Zahm, an old acquaintance and

friend in by-gone years while in La

Porte, Ind. He reports Roscommon

as "taking the lead" of Grayling

by a big percentage, and that she will

continue so to do. Where two great

minds disagree, who shall decide?

Come again, Bro. Z, you'll always

find a welcome.

"Rambler," in his article to the Life

Lake Eye, says he went "all over

Grayling in fifteen minutes," and

only could find "two saloons." You

ought not to have gotten "boozed,"

Mr. "Rambler," and then you could

have "rambled" about our city all day

All kinds of legal blanks at the post

office.

The large amount of snow which we

had only a few days ago—where, oh!

where can it be?

Who will go a fishing and bring us

some "spotted suckers?" Whosoever

will, we will pay them in "puffs" at

the rate of 25 cents per line.

A canvasser of cheap jewelry tramp-

ed over our town last week. We guess

he made some sales, judging from what

we have seen—but then it is easy to be

mistaken.

It is currently reported that Mr. Mc-

Kinley shot a couple of "sheep" a

short time ago. We don't believe the

rumor. Why don't we? Because we

know "Mc" to be too good a boy to do

anything as naughty as that. Eh,

"Mc?" Bring us out a quarter.

A lady drummer "did" the town

this week. She was selling hat racks,

comb cases and letter receivers. They

were nice and "cheap for the money."

We wanted to buy one of each kind, but

she said "nix no trust." Oh! 'tis sweet

to be an editor!

Albert Savage and John Savage,

sons, and both of the township of

Albee, had a lively time with an old

bear and three cubs one day last week











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